



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION  
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RE: MUR 5418  
Chris Kouri for Congress Committee  
and Kinde Durkee, as treasurer

Dear Mr. Zakson:

On September 4, 2003, the Chris Kouri for Congress Committee, your client, and its former treasurer were notified that the Federal Election Commission found reason to believe they violated 2 U.S.C. § 441a(f). On October 17, 2003, you submitted a response to the Commission's reason to believe finding, and submitted additional information thereafter. After considering the circumstances of this matter, the Commission determined, on October 26, 2004, to take no further action against the Chris Kouri for Congress Committee and Kinde Durkee, as treasurer, and closed the file as it pertains to them.

You are advised that the confidentiality provisions of 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(12)(A) remain in effect, and that this matter is still open with respect to other respondents. The Commission will notify you when the entire file has been closed.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Thomas J. Andersen".

Thomas J. Andersen  
Attorney